

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652:N/A  
TAGS: MARR NATO  
SUBJECT: NETHERLANDS WATER POLLUTION TAXES

REFS: (A) USNATO 6774, DTG 131611Z JUL 77. (B) SUMMARY  
RECORD AC/304-R/1, DATED 14 JULY 77. (C) WORKING PAPER  
AC/304-WP/1, DATED 6 JULY 77. (D) PO/77/67, DATED 28  
APRIL 77.

1. PARA III.3(2) OF REF B INVITES THE LEGAL ADVISORS  
OF SHAPE AND AFCENT AND NATIONAL DELEGATIONS TO MAKE  
AVAILABLE FOR THE STUDY OF THE AD HOC COUNCIL COMMITTEE  
ANY USEFUL DOCUMENTS WHICH MIGHT ASSIST THE MEMBERS IN  
THEIR AGREED TASKS (PARAS 6 AND 7 REF A).

2. THE AD HOC COMMITTEE'S TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR) (REF D)  
HAVE BEEN LIMITED ESSENTIALLY TO CLARIFICATION OF ARTICLE  
10 OF THE AGREEMENT ON THE STATUS OF FORCES (LONDON 1951)  
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AND ARTICLE 8 OF THE PROTOCOL ON THE STATUS OF HEADQUARTERS  
(PARIS 1952). THE U.S. WAS VERY ACTIVE IN DEFINING THE  
TERMS OF THE STATUS OF FORCES AGREEMENT (SOFA) AND IT  
APPEARS USEFUL FOR THE U.S. TO PROVIDE THE COMMITTEE WITH  
APPROPRIATE SUPPORTING RESEARCH ON THE ORIGINS OF THE  
TERMS OF THE SOFA.

3. WE UNDERSTAND THAT MESSRS LOU FIELDS (STATE) AND JAMES ALLEN (DEFENSE) HAVE EXPERTISE ON THIS ISSUE AND MIGHT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE THE RESEARCH/DOCUMENTS WHICH WOULD BE USEFUL TO THE COMMITTEE.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: ADVICE THAT REQUESTED RESEARCH WILL BE UNDERTAKEN AND PROVIDED. BENNETT

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